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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Ho-In Kim *et al.*

SERIAL NO.: 10/825,816 EXAMINER: Tran Chuc

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FOR: GAIN-CLAMPED SEMICONDUCTOR OPTICAL AMPLIFIER

RESPONSE TO THE FINAL OFFIC ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 12, 2006, the Applicant hereby requests amendment of the above-identified as follows: